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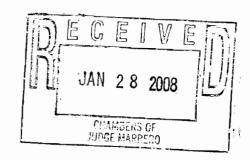
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The Honorable Victor Marrero United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007



Re:

<u>United States v. Rubin Perez</u>

07 Cr. 502 (VM)

Dear Judge Marrero:

As Your Honor is aware, the defendant, Rubin Perez, is scheduled to be sentenced on February 29, 2008. The Government respectfully requests, with the consent of defense counsel, that the sentencing be adjourned until late April. At this time, neither of Mr. Perez's codefendants (Javier Sanchez and Frank Tejeda) have been sentenced; accordingly, the Government does not yet have the requisite information to file a motion under Section 5K1.1 of the Sentencing Guidelines as contemplated by Mr. Perez's cooperation agreement with the Government.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.

Request GRANTED. The sentencing of defendant Rubin for the sentencing

Respectfully submitted,

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